

ECKARD CHAPEL.

We are sorry to announce to the many friends of Mrs. Wetzel, that she has been worse for the past few days.

Uncle John Rottenberry, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Mrs. Samuel Eads still continues quite ill. We hope for her speedy recovery.

Harry Love is visiting friends in Huntington, this week.

Mrs. H. A. Meek was shopping at Flat Rock last Monday.

Clara, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas, was quite sick one day last week.

Mrs. Frank Rawson was visiting Mrs. Velmor and family last Wednesday.

C. Winger passed through this city last Wednesday.

Miss Ella Keller, who has been visiting friends here for the past two months, returned to her home at Lima, Ohio, Tuesday, accompanied by her friend, Miss Jennie Rayburn. Trixie.

FEAS BRANCH.

The Starkey Literary is progressing nicely. Following is the report of Friday night, the 28:

Chapel, Chas. Wise, speech, Owen Starkey, reading, Lillian Perry, recitation, Walter Keister, reading, Ed. Powell, Rosa Starkey, Alton McCoy, Ferna Starkey, Alta Keister. Song by choir.

Question for debate. Resolved that the printing press has been more benefit to man than the steam engine. Affirmative, Ed. Powell, O. Starkey, Chas. Wise, Chancy Keister, Alta Keister, Erva Starkey. Negative, Elmer Starkey, Lewis Starkey, E. E. Meadows, Arthur E. E. Meadows, Arthur Perry, Alton McCoy. Decision given in favor of negative. Judges, R. E. Davis, Rosa Starkey and Bessie McCoy.

We are having plenty of snow and this winter, but stock is looking well.

There is quite a lot of sickness in this community.

Henry Wise, who has been sick with typhoid and pneumonia, is very low.

They began their revival at Fairfield, Saturday night.

R. E. Davis and E. E. Meadows took dinner at J. D. Keister's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Keister were visiting D. B. Wise, Sunday.

Miss Verna Meadows was given a birthday party at her home Thursday night. There was a large crowd of young folks there and all seemed to enjoy themselves.

Mr. and Mr. L. W. McCoy were visiting his parents Sunday.

E. E. Meadows had to attend court at Huntington Wednesday and he employed O. E. McCoy to teach school for him that day.

The girls of this community seem to be glad to see the snow falling for they think the boys will take them sleigh riding, which I suppose they will.

SEA FLAT.

Preston Newell was visiting his daughter, Mrs. James Stevenson, Wednesday.

H. T. Baker was visiting C. H. Baker and family, Sunday.

Ezekiel Sayre was visiting Robert Keefer and family, Sunday.

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FOR SALE BY

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Rev. Dell Upton closed his meeting at Arbuckle church Sunday night.

Rev. Ball is holding a protracted meeting at Smith church.

Mrs. C. H. Baker was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cussin, Wednesday.

Samuel Greenlee of Harvettown, was in this vicinity Tuesday.

Mrs. C. H. Baker and daughter, Miss Addie, were visiting her brother, E. O. Cussin, Tuesday.

C. H. and George Baker, Earl and Evert Cussin attended Quarterly meeting at Smith church, Sunday.

Elisha Cussin was visiting C. H. Baker and family, Sunday.

Rev. Boggs is now holding a protracted meeting at Rifle Chapel. We wish him success.

Clark Burdett has moved from the Stover place to B. S. Smith place.

E. A. Cussin visited his sister, Mrs. L. Quickle, at Pliny, Monday.

C. H. Baker was a business visitor to Leon, Monday.

LOS ANGELES COUPLE HAVE TWINS, TRIPLETS AND NOW A QUARTETTE.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 26.—A mixed quartette of babies, two girls and two boys, arrived early today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wilson, in this city, making twelve children to this couple in nine years. The Wilsons were married in Chicago 25 years ago. Two sets of triplets and one pair of twins have previously been born to the couple, seven of whom including the last four survive.

A NEW YEAR PROBLEM.

A Missouri editor is trying to make a busy year for his readers with this problem:

"A train one mile in length is standing on the track with the engine at the depot. The train pulls out and as the caboose come to the depot the conductor gets on and walks to the front end of the train and gets off the engine when it stops at the other town depot. The towns are three miles apart. How far did the man walk, and how far did he ride?"

FREE MEAT.

Representative Otto Foelker, who when state senator was carried from his sick bed to cast the deciding vote on the Hart-Agnew racing bill, will introduce a bill at Washington to suspend the tariff on meats for one year. He believes the price will then come down with rush.

Alordman Frank Dowling will introduce this week an ordinance aiming to make it impossible to sell storage eggs, meats, fish, and other foods as fresh. The ordinance will provide that all cold storage goods must be so labelled and tagged with the date on which they were stored.

The Philosopher of Folly. "Wine is a mocker," says the philosopher of folly. "And even coffee is likely to be a Java. But please don't put this down as one of my sayings. It doesn't mean anything, really."

RIVER NEWS

The C. C. Bowyer and the Oriole are warming things up in the trade between here and Huntington. The next thing we expect will be a price cutting war, as both boats are making every endeavor to get the business.

The Queen City passed down last Sunday with a record breaking trip for the Mardi Gras festival at New Orleans.

The C. C. Bowyer brought fifteen passengers from points down the river yesterday.

The Ohio passed down Monday evening, twenty-six hours late, with a big trip.

"PHILISTINE" PARAGRAPHS.

There is no medicine equal to a merry laugh—well mixed with fresh air.

A woman over thirty who will tell her actual age will tell anything—watch her.

Bedbugs are all right—except in their official capacity.

A sincere man: One who bluffs only a part of the time.

The abuse of power unmasks a weakling.

The men who make the deepest notches on the Stick of Time are not usually preceded by a brass band.

In Heaven's name, be Somebody, but to be Somboidy, you must be yourself.

Beaten paths are for the Lilliputs. Climb the fence and cut across if you ever expect to "arrive."

Nature is lavish in the production of everything but great men.

There is a time for everything. The gentle way usually wins, but we do not parley with rattlesnakes.

Civilization: The matter of wearing your shirt in the confines of your trousers.

Any man who thinks he is very much better than other men, isn't.

I see large sums are being paid for advertisements offering to remove superfluous hair. Also large sums are being paid for advertisements offering to show you how to make hair grow. Why not issue transfers?

BLUEFIELD VICINITY RECORD.

During the week just closed eight murders have occurred in the coal fields of southeastern West Virginia, twenty-four have been seriously wounded in fights and a large number killed in accidents. West Virginia leads all other states for the number of murders, they averaging five a week. During the recent term of circuit court a man was sentenced to a term of four years for stealing a \$5. bike and a murderer was given one year.

Evolution of Impertinent.

Originally the word "Impertinent" signified merely "not belonging to." When Wycliffe said that there were many men in this world who were "impertinent to earthly lords," he did not mean that they were "cheeky," but merely that they had no masters. Then, as used by Shakespeare, "Impertinent" came to mean "irrelevant." Just 200 years ago it was defined as signifying "absurd, silly, idle."

Capt. W. H. Needham assumed the management of the Point Pleasant Register Monday—a position he filled very acceptably several months last summer. Mr. Needham is a first-class printer and newspaper man, and his Gallipolis friends are pleased to learn that he is to be located near his old home town.—Journal, Gallipolis.

To Be Popular.

It is astonishing how much you can learn from people in social intercourse when you know how to look at them rightly, but it is a fact that you can only get a great deal out of them by giving them a great deal yourself. The more you radiate yourself, the more magnanimous you are; the more generous of yourself, the more you will get back.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of

Wm. D. Mitchell

Why does Great Britain buy its oatmeal of us?

Certainly it seems like carrying coals to Newcastle to speak of exporting oatmeal to Scotland and yet, every year the Quaker Oats Company sends hundreds of thousands of cases of Quaker Oats to Great Britain and Europe.

The reason is simple; while the English and Scotch have for centuries eaten oatmeal in quantities and with a regularity that has made them the most rugged physically, and active mentally of all people, the American has been eating oatmeal and trying all the time to improve the methods of manufacture so that he might get that desirable foreign trade.

How well he has succeeded would be seen at a glance at the export reports on Quaker Oats. This brand is without a rival; it is packed in regular 10c packages, and in hermetically sealed tins for hot climates.

THE COST OF LIVING

AGRICULTURE IN WEST VIRGINIA HAS FALLEN OFF.

In another column of the Intelligencer appears an interesting card of a well known business man discussing the cost of living. The writer points out some facts which have bearing on the local situation. Agriculture in West Virginia has fallen to a low stage. Whole counties, which years ago shipped thousands of cattle to the eastern markets in addition to producing their own meat supply, are now dependent upon the west for their meats. A few weeks ago some interesting data collected in Parkersburg showed that Wood county imported over a million dollars worth of farm products, all of which, could have been grown at home to advantage. If the facts were known it would appear that the conditions in Ohio county are even worse. Our farmers are prosperous. In many cases they are prosperous not because of industry and thrift but because of the fortunate discovery and sale of coal, oil and gas riches, which have enabled them to lead lives of ease, while the rich acres which they once cultivated cease to be productive.

We do not have the evils of landlordism in this country, but the man who takes and holds two or five hundred acres of fine farm lands and fails to produce upon them the live stock, grain and vegetables, which they ought to produce for the consumption of mankind, does a grave injustice to his fellowmen. Unproductive ownership of the opportunities of production, is an offense which might very properly be made a subject of serious legislation.—Wheeling Intelligencer.

THIS IS CERTAIN

The Proof That Point Pleasant Readers Cannot Deny.

What could furnish stronger evidence of the efficiency of any remedy than the test of time? Thousands of people testify that Doan's Kidney Pills cure permanently.

Home endorsement should prove undoubtedly the merit of this remedy. Years ago your friends and neighbors testified to the relief they had derived from the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. They now confirm their testimonials. They say time has completed the test.

Mrs. W. S. Tully, rear of Spencer Hotel, Point Pleasant, W. Va., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills at different times for years and from my experience, I have no hesitation in saying that they act just as represented. In March 1903, I gave a public statement recommending Doan's Kidney Pills, after they had relieved me of a very annoying attack of kidney complaint. I had let my health run down and my kidneys may become so badly disordered that backache was common. The kidney secretions were irregular and painful in passage and often had spells of dizziness. I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at Hooff's drug store and it took them only a short time to relieve me. I am pleased to again recommend this excellent preparation."

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The optimist cheers, but the pessimist saves his breath for the purpose of letting out a calamity howl later on.

COMMUNICATION.

A SCATHING LETTER FROM J. WALTER WADDELL.

MIDDLEPORT, O., Jan. 24.

Editor Point Pleasant Register:

Not long ago the ilk known as ex-priests whether unfrocked for unsavory deeds, or simply impostors did a flourishing business. Relying on the curious and gullible, of which every community has its share, these fellows went about leaving everywhere a slimy trail of filth, that were it circulated through the United States mails, would put the disseminators into the clutches of the post office authorities at once. Usually they are accompanied by a female who poses as an "ex-nun" and whose mission is to make women purer and better by regaling them with salacious stories at separate lectures for ladies only. In like manner the male bird of the feather holds "lectures" to elevate christianity from which the gentle sex are excluded.

The subjects cunningly selected for these lectures appeal first of all to morbid curiosity. "The Horrors of Romanism." "The secrets of the Confessional" are cunningly put forth to allure those who expect some salacious revelations. It has happened that christian men and women were inveigled into attending such meetings. They found the talks as revoltingly indelicate and disgustingly obscene that their manhood and womanhood were outraged and they left the halls. Ladies and gentlemen who mingle with those of the faith maligned, finding them clean of speech and of habits, and in every way upright citizens are slow to believe defamatory stories charging these very neighbors and friends with the permission of and connivances in practices so degradinly foul and unnatural that brutes would rebel against them. Naturally there are those, thus imposed upon, who believe more or less of the vile stories these vendors of filthy literature have as stock in trade but those who really do know better can see the utter absurdity of these claims and refuse to be assistants by supporting such carrion birds in the name of christianity.

P. A. Seguin, the fellow who gave a series of so called lectures in your town a few weeks ago and one of the traducers above referred to, has been plying his nefarious work for a number of years. Some few years ago he left the Christian church and joined the Lutherans of St. Paul, Minn., soon the Lutherans got his past record and to their credit very promptly ousted him from membership. The Lutheran ministers of St. Paul, deserve credit for putting their seal of disapproval on fellows of the Seguin type as ministers, and have set an example that should cut off in the future such disreputable creatures from the list of all denominations anxious to spread the gospel of the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man. When the labors of these vultures are unprofitable, the hell-spawned brood will soon disappear.

It is unfortunately true that in a few back woods districts there are still some people, with the veil of prejudice hanging over them, willing to listen to the billings-gate of these turncoats and traitors, not only to christianity, but to common principles of decency and fair play, and in order that the people of your city may know the kind of a character they have had in their midst I will ask you to publish this letter in an early issue of your paper.

Yours truly,

J. WALTER WADDELL.

LADY WANTED

To introduce our very complete Spring line of beautiful wool suitings, wash fabrics, fancy waistings, silks, etc., hdkfs, laces and petticoats. All up to date N. Y. City Patterns. Finest line on the market. Dealing direct with the mills you will find our prices low. Profits, \$10.00 to \$30.00 weekly. Samples and full instructions packed in a neat sample case, shipped express prepaid. No money required. Exclusive territory. Write for particulars. Be first to apply. Standard Dress Goods Co., F. I. Binghamton, N. Y. Jan. 26.

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Batistes—woven stripes with neat woven figures interspersed here and there, are among the strictly new sheer things—all the dainty patterns in delicate spring colorings—\$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 a yard.

Printed Batistes closely resembling Dimities in patterns and colorings—7½, 10 & 12½c a yard.

Printed Mulls—several degrees finer than Batiste and with patterns equally praiseworthy—hundreds of patterns with stripes predominating—every spring color—25, 35 to 60c a yard.

Imported Organdies—plain with the exquisite printings that have given Organdies their fame, also beautiful Raye stripes effects with allover printings—shades harmonizing delightfully with this sheer fabric—35, 45, 50c a yard.

Printed French Voiles—stripes and allover figure—delicate colorings, also rich dark shades—examples of the masterful textile art of the French—45c a yard.

Silk and Cotton Pongees—only close examination will reveal that they were not all silk—exact Pongee texture equally lustrous and all the fashionable Pongee colorings—45c a yard.

Tussah Silk—another silk and cotton fabric closely resembling all silk, largely Foulard printings—35, 40 & 45c a yard.

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Trustee's Sale.

By virtue of a deed of trust dated on the 14th day of September, 1903, executed by Charles W. Settles and Maggie Settles, his wife, to the undersigned Trustee, and recorded in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of Mason County, West Virginia, in Trust Deed Book No. 24, pages 254 and 255, given to secure to the Point Pleasant Building & Loan Association a debt of four hundred and fifty dollars, and default having been made in the payment of said debt according to the terms, provisions and conditions of the said deed of trust, and being required by the said Point Pleasant Building & Loan Association, I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House of Mason county, West Virginia, on SATURDAY, THE 5TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1910,

between the hours of 1 and 3 o'clock p. m. of that day the following real estate, being a certain lot of land situate in the town of Point Pleasant, Mason County, West Virginia, and being a fractional part of lot No. 10 third tier of lots of said town as laid off on the plat of the said town of Point Pleasant, and being the same property conveyed to Charles W. Settles by John McCulloch and wife by deed dated October 24, 1892, and of record in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of said Mason county in Deed Book No. 53, page 43, etc., to which deed reference is here made for a more complete description of said lot of land.

Terms of Sale:—Cash on day of sale.

RANKIN WILEY, Trustee.

Jan. 5-4w.

SAFETY OF THEIR CHILD.

A representative of the Sentinel called at a certain home on West Side recently and was much impressed by the precautions of the parents for the safety of their child. In front of the open gas stoves there was a system of wire netting arranged so that the child could not get near the fire, and should be in every home in Grafton, especially where there are children.

Had this been the case and had other families of the city taken the same means of protecting their children from the fire, there are several fatal accidents that might just as well have been averted. The wire nets to protect the children from the open fire should be in every home in Grafton. They're a safe way to keep the children from the fire.—Grafton Sentinel.